taken in Manchurla are only in self-defense." defense,"
The Count called in person at the De-parlment of State about noon to talk over the Manchurlan situation with Sec-retary Hay and it is supposed that he conveyed assurances on the same lines to the secretary.

NO INTERRUPTION OF OPEN-DOOR POLICY

(By Associated Press.)

PARIS, May B.—Commenting on the Manchurian situation, the efficient of the say the French ambassador at St. Petersburg has had an interview on the subject with Poreign Minister Lamsdorff, commercial interests. The reoccupation of which brought out a repetition of the statement that Russia had given positive assurances to the United States that there would be no interruption of the open-door holicy in Manchuria.

The view held here is that Russia's assurances fully protect the United States (New Chwang by Russian troops is claimed to be a wholly polifical issue between Russia, Great Britain and Japan, and is not involving American commerce or any other American interest.

BRYAN TALKS

newspapers, and I will name a few of them: The Chicago Chronicle, Nashville Americah, Louisville Courier-Journal, Boston Herald, Philadelphia Ledger, New York Times, Brooklyn Eagle and some others. This class of newspapers can be relied upon to Support any Republican policies the financiers of the country are interested in. They keep up an attack on minor things and sometimes attack individual Republicans, but they are so closely allied to organized wealth that they simply deceive the people. If there were a law compelling these newspapers to carry the names of the men who dictate their policies at the etop of the editorial pages, the people would know that the supposed editors had little or no voice. These so-called Democratic newspapers can be depended upon to defend any Democrat who betrays his party and his constituents, and abuse any Democrat who cannot be corrupted.

"This class of newspapers appresent any public sentiment which they desire the people to think is public sentiment."

Mr. Bryan said this in a way which made it plain that he thought this is just what was done in the extensive comments on the ovation given Mr. Cleveland at St. Louis on dedication day.

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Mr. Bryan also made it plain that he conference of the country must he come?" Mr. Bryan was asked.

"I cannot discuss any avagable individual for the nomination" he said. "The geographical position of the candidate will not figure in the advantages. It matters not what State he is from. He must have the qualities if we are to win. He must have the qualities if we are to win. He must have the qualities if we are to be more accountant to be a sympathy with the masses courage to defend the rights and the integrity to resist temptation."

"On what issues will the Democratic party base its hopes for success next

year?"
A party platform cannot be cuttined so fair ahead. Conditions are constantly changing, and something is liable to arise to place an entirely new phase on the situation from what it appears to-

the situation from what it appears to-day."

"What do you think of the idea in some quarters that the powerful Wall-Street Interests are to oppose President Rosesvelt as the Republican nominee?"

If there is no evidence of it out of the news that is controlled by Wall Street. The Bureau of Commerce and the Elkins bill, which is said to have been drafted by the president of the Pennsylvania Railway, are an insignificant response for anti-trust legislation."

"What do you think of President Rosesvelt's efforts town; a settlement by arbitration of the coal strike."

"I think they were laudable. I have always believed strikes should be settled in that way."

"It was a righteous decision, and I hope it will be sustained by the Supreme Court. But the merger decision scarcely tonehes the grust question. The fact that the people are paying tribute to a large number of trusts to-day is conclusive evidence that the present law is not adequate, or is not properly engreed."

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Bryan detailed one of his children how the correspondent his carriages, es, cattle, hogs, chickens and the Pointing to three fine specimens is swine family the little guide said: name of that one is 'Sixteen to the mother of this litter, and the one, the father, is named 'Mark la."

CLEVELAND DOES NOT SAY HE WILL OR WILL NOT

ATHENS, GA., May 9.—In reply to a letter from B. F. Holder, Jr., editor of the Athens Banner, in which was given the result of a poll of the business men of Athens, which showed up strongly for the nomination of Mr. Cleveland, and in which was this question: "Are you now considering or would you consider making the race for the Presidency next year on the Democratic ticket?" ex-President Cleveland writes as follows:

"Princeton, N. J., May 6, 1903."

"B. F. Holder, Jr.;
"Dear Sir,—I thank you for your letter ATHENS, GA., May 9.-In reply to a

Eruptions

Dry, moist, scaly tetter, all forms of eczema or salt rheum, pimples and other cutaneous eruptions proceed from humors, either inherited, or acquired through defective digestion and assimilation.

To treat these eruptions with drying medicines is dangerous. The thing to do is to take

Hood's Sarsaparilla

and Pills Which thoroughly cleanse the blood, expelling all humors and building

up the whole system. They cure Hood's Earsaparilla permanently cured J. G. Hiues, Franks, Ill., of exceme, from which had suffered for some time; and Miss Alvina Wolter, Box 212, Algona, Wis., of pin ples on her face and back and chafed skin outer body, by which she had been greatly troubled. There are more testimonials in fayor of Hood's than can be published. Hood's Sarsaparilla promiser cure and keeps the promise.



Spring Clothing that every young man with real blood in his veins will appreci-

The snap, dash and go in these garments you cannot get from any local

tailor.
A \$75 sack suit made by one of the best New York tailors was the model for these suits.

\$10.00 to \$30.00. Good Suits as low as \$5.

TRUNKS, BAGS, CASES.

We sold a prominent business man in Chicago a fine trunk last week. He said it was a style the conveni-ences of which he'd never seen be-

age from everybody who visits our Great Basement Department filled with fine up-to-date travellers' re-

It's because the goods have merit and are priced right.
Trunks, \$2.00 to \$65.00.
Bogs, \$1.00 to \$50.00 (fitted.)
Cases, \$1.25 to \$20.00 (fitted.)



of the 4th instant and for the editorial elipping from your paper which accompanied it. I cannot fall to be gratified by the kindly expressions which frequently come to me in those days from all parts of our country, and I desire to thank you for your loyal support in the past and for your exceedingly friendly expressions at this time. In answer to the question with which you conclude your letter, I can say no more than to assure you that at no time since the close of my last administration have I been desirous of carrying the Democratic banner for the fourth time in a Presidential content. in a Presidential contest

"Yours very truly, (Signed) "GROVER CLEVELAND."

WILL NOT BE CANDIDATE. SAYS A CLOSE FRIEND

(By Associated Press.)

MADISON. WIS. May 9.—Grover Cleveland, twice President of the United States, will not be a candidate for nomination for the presidency before the Democratic National Convention. This is the opinion stated by William F. Vilas, former Senator from Wisconsin, Postmaster-General, and later Secretary of the Interior in Cleveland's Cabinet and one of the closest political and personal friends the ex-President has in the country.

Senator Vilas has recently visited the Cleveland home in Frinceton and passed several days in the company of the ex-President. He has also recently corresponded with Cleveland, but neither the visit nor letters received disclosed any purpose on Mr. Cleveland's part to be a candidate.

Cameron Run Hunt Club Holds its First Exhibition.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA., May 9.—The Cameron Run Hunt Club to-day held their first annual horse show near the Hampton Stock Farm, west of here, A including many from Washington and Baltimore, and different sections of the State, were present. All of the con-tests were very spirited.

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The first prizes were won as follows:
Hack Class No. 7, Oxonquit, exhibited
by Hampton Stock Farm.

Green hunters, Flambeau; Hampton
Stock Farm,
Roadsters, Westmoreland; James Pat-

Roasters, Westmoreiana; James Patterson.
Thoroughbred hunters, Conflicting Evidence; Calvin O. Portner.
Pair of horses, class 3, Roncellette and Juliotte; Garber and Garber.
Class 6, Good Enough; George Stu-Class 6, Good Baough; George Stuart.
Class 11, lightweight hunters, Chappie
Lee; Mrs. Courtland H. Smith.
Class 10, middlewight hunters, Ogondistance of the control of the court of th

Racing at Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 9.-Results at Worth:
Pirst race-six furbags-Zibia (8 to 5)
first, Oronte 19 to 5) second, Theory (5
to 1) third, Time, 113 2-5.
Second race-five furlongs-Don Dome
(6 to 6) first, Mikirk (8 to 5) second,
Jerry Lynch (5 to 1) third, Time,
130 3-5.

July 35.

Third race—mile and one hunder yards; handicup—Little Scott (3 to 1) lirst, Jeoduse (4 to 1) second, C. B. Campbell (# to*)) third. Time, 146.

Fourth race—Orland; selling; stakes; one mile—Pavonious (7 to 10) first, John J. Regan (5 to 1) second, Rankin (6 to 1) third. Time, 149 2-5.

Fifth race—five furlongs—Golden Rule (even) first Burnfe Bunton (3 to 2) second. Stem-Winder (5 to 3) third. Time, 1490 2-5.

30 2-5. Sixth race—the and three-eighths: celling—Zone to 1) first Ondruman 3 to 5) second Glaspray (4 to 1) third. Fine, 2:21 2-5 Paltimore, Toronto, 1. Buffalo, 5; Tuchester, 7. Jersey City, 8; Worcester, 5. Providence, #; Newark, 3.

THEDIAMOND

Cincinnati Downed Pittsburg It Proved Itself Worthy to by Score of 15 to 8.

BROOKLYN WON SATURDAY

Switches With Boston Again-Giants Defeat the Phillies Again, and Chicago Won from St. Louis-Results of American League.

Scores Yesterday. Cincinnati 35, Pittsburg 8, Brooklyn 7, Boston 6, New York 10, Philadelphia 3, Chicago 5, St. Louis 3.

Schedule for To-Day. Chicago at St. Louis. Pittsburg at Cincinnati. Schedule for Monday.

Cincinnati at Pittsburg. Brooklyn at New York. Standing of the Clubs.

NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES YESTERDAY

(By Associated Press.)
At Pittsburg-The Cincinnali team had
on their batting clothes to-day, and hit
Pittsburg's pitchers hard.

P. U.E.

At New York-Good base running and poor fielding on the part of the visitors enabled the New York team to win from Philadelphia to-day.

At Brooklyn-Hard litting in the ninth by the Brooklyn team gave them a victory over Boston. Willis and Jones were that hard.

Score:

Brooklyn 020002003-712

Brooklyn 020002003-712

Boston 000014010-012

Batterles: Jones and Ahearn: Willis and Moran. Time, 2:23. Umpire, Moran. Attendance, 6,000.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES YESTE RDA

Scores Yesterday. Philadelphia 13, Washington 4. Boston 12, New York 5. Detroit 13, Cleveland 1. Chicago 5, St. Louis 3.

Schedule for To-Day.

Washington at St. Louis, New York at Detroit, Philadelphia at Chicago, Beston at Cleveland,

Standing of the Clubs.

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	Chicago11	2000-999	.78
I	Philadelphia11	7	161
	Boston 9	8	.62
	New York 8	8	.50
	Detroit 7	8	.40
	St. Louis 4	. 8	
	Cleveland 4	8	.33
	Washington 5	10	.83
	At Philadelphia.—Nineteen s cluding a home run, a triple doubles was the champion's day. Patton was batted a	reco	thre
	grounds,	0.0	** 1

At Boston,—For protesting Carruthers decisions in the fifth Tannehill and Williams were removed from the field. Howell took Tannehill's place and was batted hard.

Brownies Won.

The Church Hill "Brownies" defeated the Church Hill "Grays" in a holly contested ten-Inning game of ball vesterday afternoon, the score being 15 to 14.

The features of the Fanne were the batting of Wilcox and Valden, for the "Brownies," and Hunt, for the Grays, the pitching of Pearman and the fielding of Eaton, he accepting 8 chances of

St. Albans Defeated.

EAST RADFORD, VA., May 5.—Last game of the season on Radford grounds was played this evening by Virginia Polytepinic and St. Albans team. Score, 10 to 3, against St. Albans.

THE DONATI TEAM WON

NORTHSIDE STARS BEATEN

They Lost by a Score of Twenty to One, After Defeating the Olivers, Whe Had a Rnn of Very Hard Luck.

Ruthlessly and, with a characteristic vengeance, Donati's Dandles yesterday aternoon snatched from the North Side Stars, undisputed champions of the Twin-City League, the laureis which they had gained a few short minutes previously by besting their old time rivals, commonly for the star of the

Represent Richmond.

RICHMOND.

Totals...... 8 8 27 7

SOUTHERN LEAGUE GAMES YESTERDAY

At Nashville: Atlanta won a slow game to-day, the features of which were the hits and errors, Attendance, 1,500.

R. H. Score; R. H. Atlanta. . . . , .3 0 0 1 0 1 0 2 3-10 13 Nashville 1 2 0 0 1 0 0 2 3-9 15

At Birmingham: With two men out and Birmingham one run ahead, Whistler hit to center-field for two bases in the last half of the ninth lunling, sending two men across plate and winning the game. Attendance, 2,465.

R. H. E.

R. H. E. Score:
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Montgomery......00001013-6 11 1
Baterless Smith and Brown; Polchow, Hopkins and Clarke.

At Memphis: To-day's game began in a wrangle. In Memphis' half of the first inning. Weiden attempted to steal second. Umpire McDermont called him out, and a minute later changed his decision. McDermott put At2 and law out of the game. New Orleans, in ability to hit at the proper time gave the locals an easy victory. Attendance, 2,560. Score:

Memphis. ... 2 0 0 0 1 4 0 0 2 0 -10 13 2

New Orleans. ... 1 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 - 4 7 4

Batterier: Breitenstin and Stratton; French, Dannehower and Hurley.

At Little Rock: Guese pitched magnificent ball sgainst Streveport this afternoon, and Little Rock won on a dia mond knee deep in mud. Attendance, 1,500 Score: R. H. E.
Little Rock. . . . 200003000-5 11 0
Shreveport. 100000100-2 5 3
Batterles: Guese and Lynch; Swan and
Graffius.

REPORT ON COPPER PROPERTY. Read the article on advance in Copper Stocks of the La Florencia Gold and Cop-per Company, in another column of this paper

CAROLINA **CHAMPION**

University of Virginia Defeat ed at Charlottesville.

A VERY BRILLIANT GAME

Prichard's Pitching for Virginia Was of a High Orde,r and Carolina's Fielding Game and Support Were Excellent.

UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, VA., May 8.—North Carolina defeated Virginia to-day by a score of 4 to 1, winning the base-ball championship of the South, Mr. Murray M. McGuire sends The Times Dispatch the following on the game to the South of the

Cheshire.

Carolina put up an errorlèss game ir the field, giving the finest exhibition of ball playing seen here for many a day. The bright, particular stars, were Holt, Cheshire, Giles and Carr. Time and again these players cut off apparently safe hits by the sharpest kind of fielding. Mason and Stearns carried off the fielding carried honors for Virginia and assisted in two pretry double plays.

NORTH CAROLINA.

R. H. O. A. E.

CADETS DEFEATED

Lost Third Game After Winning Two from Washington and Lee.

YALE WON RACE FROM

CADETS OF THE NAVY

(By Associated Press.)

ANNAPOLIS, MD., May 8.—In a pretitive contested race the second Yale crew won from the Navy's eight-oard crew te-day by three leagths in their two mile race on the Severn. For a mile and a haif the crews rowed on even terms, the Navy pulling a 34-stroke, and the New Haven men 32. In the last haif, Yale gradually drew away notwithstanding a spurt by the Navy. The pace at the finish caused the collapse of Smythe. of the Navy just as the boat crossed the line.

Time, Yale, 10:45, Navy, 11 minutes.



SEASON REALLY CLOSES MAY 18th.

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WEDNESDAY, GENTLEMEN'S SOUVENIR

THURSDAY,

GOLORED DAY, THE LAUGHING EVENT OF THE SEASON.

BENEFIT OF FUNDS OF RICHMOND GRAYS.
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MONDAY, MAY 18th. POSITIVELY THE LAST DAY OF THE GREATEST EX-HIBITION OF TRAINED ANIMALS IN THIS

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EASY WINNER

Old England Cut Out the Pace, but Failed to Win.

VICTORY WAS DECISIVE

Twenty-five Thousand People Saw Articulate Gallop Home Four Lengths Ahead of the Favorite, Old

longs of the Eclipse course-Extralaw (12 to 1) first, Mimon (12 to 1) second, Hope-

Bijou. MONDAY ALL THE USUAL NIGHT, WEEK. MATINEES. ₩ OUTCAST. Original Company headed by ANNE BLANCKE

0000 BOB 0000 This highly sensational spectacular melodrama comes here with the most onthusiastic endorsements of any play seen in this theater this season.

ADVANTAGE TOOK THE NURSERY STAKES

(By Associated Press.) LOUISVILLE, KY., May 9.—The Nursery stakes, worth \$0,000, and equal in value to the Kentucky Derby, brought out six starters, all well played. Prince Silver Wings, a third choice, kept the lead until they turned into the stretch, when Advantage cut out the running

second, E. Redhook (8 to 1) third, Time, 1115.

Second race—five furlongs—Commodore (4 to 1) first, Sara Rose (2 to 1) second, Cardona (8 to 1) third, Time, 1:02.

Third care—one mile—Bad News (8 to 5) first, Lendin (7 to 1) second, Incubator (even) 'third, Time, 1:41 3-5.

Fourth race—Nursery stakes; value, \$6,000; four and a half furlongs—Advantage (6 to 1) first, White Plume (6 to 1) second. Sanctum (even) 'third, Time, 1:41 3-5.

Fifth race—steeplechase; selling; full course—King Along (4 to 1) first, Daryl (4 to 1) second. Dagmar (II to 5) third. Time, 3:56 1-2.

Sixth race—mile and sixty yards; selling—Benhelic (3 to 2) first, Altona (6 to 1) second. Flaneur (12 to 1) third. Time, 1:46 1-2.

FRIDAY,

when Advantage Cd. Out the running, inishing in a drive. Summary: First race-six furlongs; selling-Fleu-ron (4 to 1) first, First Chip (4 to 1) second, E. Redbook (8 to 1) third, Time, 1115.